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LOK SABHA

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MECHANIZED POULTRY PLANTS
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has proposed to set up mechanized poultry plant in the different parts of the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE(DR. AKHILESH PRASAD SINGH)

(a): Yes,Sir.

(b): The Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MFPI),under its Plan scheme, provides 25% of the cost of plant and machinery and Technical Civil Works subject to a maximum of Rs.50.00 lakhs to poultry processing units for Setting up/Modernization/ Expansion etc., which includes mechanized poultry processing plants also. During the 11th Five Year Plan, the MFPI proposes to consider mechanized poultry slaughter and processing plants recommended by the State Governments for financial assistance under the scheme of 'Modernization of Abattoirs/setting up of Modern abattoirs' as one of the components of modern slaughter line.